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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 99,858)

In re Application of:

Kaminsky, et al.

Serial No.: 09/699,533

Filed: October 30, 2000

For: Automated Trading Exchange System
And Method Utilizing a Randomized
Opening Procedures

Art Unit: 3628

Examiner: Nga Nguyen

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

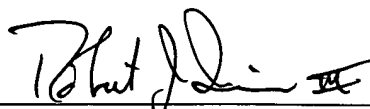
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a. Response to Office Action Mailed September 23, 2005; and
 - b. Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to additional fees:
 - a. No Fees are due at this time.
 - b. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No.13-2490.
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Applicant : Ross G. KAMINSKY, et al.
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Title : AUTOMATED TRADING EXCHANGE SYSTEM AND
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PROCEDURES
Examiner : Nga B. Gguyen
Group/Art Unit : 3628

MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT
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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION
MAILED SEPTEMBER 23, 2005

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on September 23, 2005 setting a shortened statutory response date of three months. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed. Applicants submit the following Remarks and respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Action and to allow the claims to issue.

Please amend the identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.